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AN ACT  
Providing for the better organization of the Treasury Department.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it shall be the duty of such officer of the treasury department as the President of the United States shall, from time to time, designate for that purpose, as a agent of the treasury, to direct and superintend all orders, suits, or proceedings, in law or equity, for the recovery of money, chattels, lands, tenements, or hereditaments, in the name, and for the use of the United States.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That from and after the thirtieth day of September next, if any officer employed, or has heretofore been employed, in the civil, military, or naval departments of the government, to disburse the public money appropriated for the service of those departments, respectively, shall fail to render his account, or to pay over, in the manner, and in the time, required by law, or the regulations of the department to which he is accountable, any sum of money remaining in the hands of such officer, it shall be the duty of the first or second comptroller of the treasury, as the case may be, who shall be charged with the revision of the accounts of such officer, to cause to be stated, and certify, the account of such delinquent officer to the agent of the treasury, who is hereby authorized and required immediately to proceed against such delinquent officer, in the manner directed in the preceding section in all the provisions of which are hereby declared to be applicable to every officer of the government charged with the disbursement of the public money, and to their sureties, in the same manner, and to the same extent, as if they had been described and enumerated in the said section: Provided, nevertheless, That the said agent of the treasury, with the approbation of the secretary of the treasury, in cases arising under this or the preceding section, may postpone, for a reasonable time, the institution of the proceedings required by this act, where, in his opinion, the public interest will sustain no injury by such postponement.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That if any person should consider himself aggrieved by any warrant issued under this act, he may prefer a bill of complaint to any district judge of the United States, setting forth therein the nature and extent of the injury of which he complains; and thereupon, the judge aforesaid may, if in his opinion the case may require it, grant an injunction to stay proceedings on such warrant altogether, or for so much thereof as the nature of the case requires; but no injunction shall issue till the party applying for the same shall give bond and sufficient security, conditioned for the performance of such judgment as shall be awarded against the complainant, in such amount as the judge granting the injunction shall prescribe; nor shall the issuing of such injunction in any manner impair the lien produced by the issuing of such warrant. And the same proceedings shall be had on such injunction as in other cases, except that no answer shall be necessary on the part of the United States; and it, upon dissolving the injunction, it shall appear to the satisfaction of the judge who shall decide upon the same, that the application for the injunction was merely for the delay, in addition to the lawful interest which shall be assessed on all sums which may be found due against the complainant, the said judge is hereby authorized to award, in the Marietta district, any unappropriated quarter section of land which has been offered for sale by the United States; and, whenever the said Regnier shall have entered such quarter section with the register of the land office of the said district, it shall be the duty of the said register to give to him a certificate, describing the quarter section so entered; on the presentation of which to the commissioner of the general land office, a patent shall issue to the said Regnier for the aforesaid quarter section of land.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That such injunction may be granted or dissolved by such judge, either in or out of court.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, That if any person shall consider himself aggrieved by the decision of such judge, either in refusing to issue the injunction, or, if granting, on its dissolution, it shall be competent for such person to lay a copy of the proceeding had before the district judge, before a judge of the Supreme Court, to whom authority is hereby given, either to grant the injunction, or permit an appeal, as the case may be, in the opinion of such judge of the Supreme court, the equity of the case requires it; and thereupon the same

proceedings shall be had upon such injunction, in the Circuit Court, as are prescribed in the District Court, and subject to the same conditions in all respects whatsoever.

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted, That the attorneys of the United States, for the several judicial districts of the United States, in the prosecution of all suits in the same, in the name and for the benefit of the United States, shall conform to such directions and instructions, touching the same, as shall, from time to time, be given to them respectively, by the said agent of the Treasury. And it shall, moreover, be the duty of each of the said attorneys, immediately after the end of every term of the district and circuit courts, or of any state court, in which any suit of action may be pending, on behalf of the United States, under the direction of any district attorney, to forward to the said agent of the Treasury a statement of the cases which have been decided during the said term, together with such information touching such cases as may not have been decided, as may be required by the said officer.

Sec. 8. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of the clerks of the district and circuit courts, within thirty days after the adjournment of each successive term of the said courts respectively, to forward to the said agent of the Treasury a list of all judgments and decrees which have been entered in the said courts respectively, during such term, to which the United States are parties, shewing the amount which has been so adjudged or decreed for or against the United States, and stating the term to which execution thereon will be returnable. And it shall, in like manner, be the duty of the marshals of the several judicial districts of the United States, within thirty days before the commencement of the several terms of the said courts, to make returns to the said agent, of the proceedings which have taken place upon all writs of execution or other process which have been placed in his hands for the collection of the money which has been so adjudged and decreed to the United States, in the said courts respectively.

Sec. 9. And be it further enacted, That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to take away or impair any right or remedy which the U. States now have, by law, for the recovery of taxes, debts, or demands.

Sec. 10. And be it further enacted, That the amount due to the United States, and certify the same to the agent of the treasury, who is hereby authorized and required to issue a warrant of distress against such delinquent officer and his sureties, directed to the marshal of the district in which such delinquent officer and his surety or sureties shall reside; and where the said officer and his surety or sureties shall reside in different districts, or where they, or either of them, shall reside in a district other than that in which the estate of either may be situated, which may be intended to be taken and sold, then such warrant shall be directed to the marshals of such districts, and to their deputies, respectively; there in specifying the amount with which such delinquent is chargeable, and the sums, if any, which have been paid. And the marshal authorised to execute such warrant, shall, by himself, or by his deputy, proceed to levy and collect the sum remaining due, by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of such delinquent officer; having given ten days previous notice of such intended sale, by affixing an advertisement of the articles to be sold at two or more public places in the town or county where the owner of such goods or chattels may reside; and if the goods and chattels be not sufficient to satisfy the said warrant, the same may be levied upon the person of such officer, who may be committed to prison, there to remain until discharged by due course of law. Notwithstanding the commitment of such officer, or if he abscond, or if goods and chattels cannot be found sufficient to satisfy the said warrant, the marshal or his deputy may and shall proceed to levy and collect the sum which remains due by such delinquent officer, by the distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the surety or sureties of such officer; having given ten days previous notice of such intended sale, by affixing an advertisement of the articles to be sold at two or more public places in the town or county where the owner of such goods or chattels resides. And the amount due by any such officer as aforesaid shall be, and the same is hereby declared to be, a lien upon the lands, tenements and hereditaments, of such officer and his sureties, from the date of a levy in pursuance of the warrant of distress issued against him or them, and a record thereof made in the office of the clerk of the district court of the proper district, until the same shall be discharged according to law. And for want of goods and chattels of such officer or his surety or

## AN ACT

For the relief of Fielding Jones.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be paid to Fielding Jones, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, eighty dollars, in full compensation for a horse impressed into the public service in the late war with Great Britain.

H. CLAY,

Speaker of the House of Representatives  
JOHN GAILLARD,  
President of the Senate, pro tempore.

Washington, May 2, 1820. Approved:

JAMES MONROE.

## AN ACT

For the benefit of Christopher Miller.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Christopher Miller, of Hardin county, and state of Kentucky, be authorised to enter, without payment, at any land office of the United States north-west of the river Ohio, six hundred and forty acres of land, on any lands subject to entry at private sale; and, on return being made to the commissioner of the general land office, a patent shall issue as in other cases.

H. CLAY,

Speaker of the House of Representatives  
JOHN GAILLARD,  
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Washington, May 2, 1820. Approved:

JAMES MONROE.

## AN ACT

For the relief of Captain Stanton Sholes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury department be, and they are hereby, authorised and required to audit and settle, on the principles of equity, the account of Captain Stanton Sholes, late of the army of the United States, for any monies disbursed by him whilst in the service of the United States, for public purposes.

H. CLAY,

Speaker of the House of Representatives  
JOHN GAILLARD,  
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Washington, May 15, 1820.—Approved:

JAMES MONROE.

## Office of the Commissary General of subsistence,

Washington, August 1, 1820.

THIS is to give notice, that separate proposals will be received at the Office of the Commissary General of Subsistence, until the 30th day of September next, inclusive, for the supply of subsistence stores for the use of the troops of the United States, to be delivered in bulk, upon inspection, as follows:

At Boston.

717 barrels prime Pork  
132 do. prime Beef  
1700 do. fine flour  
4500 gallons of proof Whiskey  
12000 pounds good merchantable soap  
4400 do. do. candles  
183 bushels salt  
3000 gallons good vinegar  
1100 bushels of good sound beans

One-fourth on the first day of June, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of September, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of December, 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

At New-York.

850 barrels of prime pork  
159 do. prime beef  
1900 do. fine flour  
5655 gallons proof whiskey  
13,603 pounds good merchantable soap  
4769 do. do. candles  
108 bushels salt  
3232 gallons good vinegar  
1250 bushels good sound beans

One-fourth on the first day of June, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of September, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of December, 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

At Waterville, New-York.

70 barrels prime pork  
13 do. prime beef

158 do. fine flour  
420 gallons of good proof whiskey  
1200 pounds good merchantable soap  
420 do. do. candles

18 bushels salt  
280 gallons of good vinegar  
100 bushels of good sound beans

One-fourth on the first day of June, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of September, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of December, 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

At Sack's Harbor, New York.

503 barrels of prime pork  
96 do. prime beef

1200 do. fine flour  
3300 gallons proof whiskey  
8499 pounds of good merchantable soap

3000 do. do. candles  
153 bushels salt

2100 gallons of good vinegar  
800 bushels of good sound beans

One-fourth on the first day of June, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of September, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of December, 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

At Natchitoches, Red river.

63 barrels of prime pork  
95 do. fine flour

51 do. kiln-dried corn meal  
400 gallons of good proof whiskey

875 pounds of good merchantable soap  
320 do. do. candles

55 bushels salt  
220 gallons good vinegar  
80 bushels of good merchantable beans

One-half on the first day of June, 1821.  
One-half on the first day of December, 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

At Baton Rouge.

275 barrels of prime pork  
431 do. fine flour

144 do. kiln-dried corn meal

1620 gallons of good proof whiskey

4000 pounds of good merchantable soap

1500 do. do. candles

50 bushels of salt

250 bushels of good vinegar

100 bushels of good merchantable beans

One-half on the first day of December, 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

1000 gallons of good vinegar  
35 bushels of good beans  
One-fourth on the first day of June, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first of September, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of December 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

At New-Orleans.

2000 barrels of prime pork  
3150 do. fine flour

1030 do. kiln-dried corn meal  
11,000 gallons good proof whiskey

29,400 pounds of good merchantable soap  
10,700 do. do. candles

450 bushels of salt  
7,300 gallons good vinegar  
25,000 bushels of good sound beans

One-fourth on the first day of June, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first of September, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of December, 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

At Philadelphia.

112 barrels of prime pork  
230 do. fine flour

630 gallons of good whiskey  
1660 pounds of do. merchantable soap

60 do. do. candles  
25 bushels of salt

2400 gallons vinegar  
1000 bushels of good sound beans

One-fourth on the first day of June, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first of September, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of December, 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

At Baltimore.

220 barrels of prime pork  
450 do. fine flour

1200 gallons proof whiskey  
3000 pounds of good merchantable soap

1150 do. do. candles  
50 bushels salt

780 gallons of good vinegar  
310 bushels do. sound beans

One-fourth on the first day of June, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first of September, 1821.  
One-fourth on the first day of December, 1821.  
And the remainder on the first day of March, 1822.

At Baltimore.

220 barrels



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THREE DOLLARS PER ANNUM—IN ADVANCE.

## LEXINGTON:

THURSDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 7.

Papers to the 23d ult. have reached us from Philadelphia. No new cases of Yellow Fever had occurred within the last 24 hours preceding their dates. It is anxiously hoped the malignant contagion will have ceased to ravage the city ere this. New-York has inhibited all intercourse between Philadelphia and that place. The New-Orleans papers deny the prevalence of the disease in that city. This, however, is usual.

The Paris Citizen announces General DESHA a candidate for Senator in the Congress of the United States, to supply the vacancy of Mr. William Logan, resigned. It is also understood that John Rowan, esq. of Bardstown, will be a candidate.

DAVID HOLMES, esq. of Mississippi, has been appointed Senator in Congress to supply the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of the Hon. Walter Leake. Edward Turner, esq. of Natchez, is appointed attorney general of the state in the room of Lyman Harding, esq. dec'd.

The next Congress will have in it many new members, so many of the present having declined a re-election. In Georgia, Joel Crawford, William Terrell and J. A. Cuthbert, have declined being candidates; and in South Carolina, Charles Pinckney and Joachim Brevard.

Our first statement announcing the election of Col. ANTHONY NEW, as the successor of Mr. McLean in the 5th Congressional district, turns out to be correct. His majority over Gen. Daviss was near 100 votes.

Col. JOHN POLLARD, of Frankfort, is a candidate for elector in this district to vote for President and Vice-president of the United States, in November next. He pledges himself, if elected, to vote for James Monroe as President, and Dan. D. Tompkins as Vice-President.

INAUGURATION.

This day is fixed on for the induction into office, of the Governor and Lieut. Governor elect, for the next four years. Maj. WILLIAM T. BARRY, the able and republican gentleman elected to the latter office, departed from his residence in this place yesterday. It is said he would last night meet Gen. ADAIR, the person selected to fill the executive chair, at Versailles—from whence they will proceed to the capitol this morning. There is no possible doubt, but that our townsmen, JOSEPH CABELL BRECKENRIDGE, esq. will be the secretary of state.

### FOR THE KENTUCKY GAZETTE.

"A villain's censure is extorted praise." Few are the situations in which either an individual or a people can be placed, without being subject to the attacks of the invidious and corrupt Jackalls of society. Merit and enterprise always excite either deserved admiration and applause, or elicit from those who are the *public advertisers* of slanderous falsehoods—from contemners of virtue and supporters of vice—the shafts of malice—the contumely of fools—the condemnation of those, who have themselves been justly condemned, and who, when they had displayed their characters to the community, had their just stations assigned them among the detestable and dangerous portion of the human race. Such are the characters of some of those who have traduced our town—of some, who, unable to sustain themselves either by their own virtue or merit, have suffered their newspapers, which were primitively intended to be the vehicles of truth and useful information, to become the *advertisers* of slander, the medleys of falsehood, and the miserable tools of miscreants and renegados.

Among the number of those who have been thus industriously propagating falsehood—who have rejoiced at the misfortunes of this place, and who have vainly wished its downfall, Mr. SHAD BACH PENN stands pre-eminently conspicuous. That editor, if I may so call him, should recollects that he lives in a glass house. The people of this town, from their knowledge of his character, are convinced that he should be the last man to speak, in his moral disquisitions, of "virtue," "patriotism," and "philanthropy." This veteran in the cause of—I had almost said *Fabula*—has been ardently laboring to injure the reputation of a town which he found too disagreeable for him to live in, probably because he was persecuted, as all honest men are more or less persecuted.

Even our fair fabric of learning has had a shade cast upon it in common with the rest of our institutions, by this wholesale dealer in slander. He makes it his constant endeavor to induce an enlightened and generous people to withdraw from this thriving institution their liberal patronage. But his attempts are vain. The people of Jefferson and the adjacent counties are not to be blinded

and drawn from their interests even by the redoubtable Shadrach Penn; but will foster that institution which bids fair to acquire for the state a literary character.

I would ask Mr. Penn who informs him as to the particular merits or demerits of the Tammany Society? From the confident manner in which he speaks and judges of this institution, one would be inclined to believe he was either a apostate child of St. Tammany, or that he had obtained his great stock of information relative to this society, by clandestinely peeping into the wigwam from a neighboring garret. The latter is the most probable, as such a course is perfectly consistent with his general character, except that in this adventure some small degree of personal courage is requisite. Some are of opinion that Julius Caesar was as brave a man as Mr. Shadrach Penn.

It may perhaps be proper to apologize to the people of this place for noticing an individual, the mere mention of whom excites such a consummate contempt in the breasts of those who knew him while living here, and particularly those who were acquainted with his actions after having left this place. However, I hope to be excused, since, while dropping a few desultory observations in relation to the character and conduct of Mr. Pen, to establish my text. If any further proof be required to verify this adage, as I have not time at present to devote any further attention to the subject, for further comment I will refer the reader to the "Louisville Public Advertiser."



### AGRICULTURE.

It has been aptly remarked that the western country is getting behind the times in knowledge and proficiency concerning the various pursuits of agriculture. Several valuable papers have been established in the eastern part of the U. States, whose columns are almost exclusively appropriated to essays and practical experiments on this interesting subject. Of these, the "AMERICAN FARMER," by Mr. Skinner, of Baltimore, justly ranks the highest. Improvements in the art of husbandry, in that quarter, have been rapid for the last four years, a spirit of emulation exists that never fails to have a happy effect. No work of the kind is published in the west, where the resources for agricultural pre-eminence are of the very first order. With a view to render as much service in this way as possible; and now that the hurly-burly and confusion of local politics are over—and nothing of trans-atlantic interest presenting itself, unless it be the affairs of the Queen of England and some French commotions—we design occasionally enriching our columns with judicious extracts from such agricultural works as may fall into our possession.

Should the above informal be found worthy, please to give it an insertion in your Plough Boy.

I am, sir, with respectful esteem, your obliging friend.

J. CARVER.

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animal machine; together with the unaccountable obstinacy of the stabularian philosophers, the generality of whom are too ignorant to be convinced, and no reformation can be expected in their internal system of quackery unless gentlemen will condescend with authority, to abolish a custom, of the impropriety of which, the judicious and enlightened will agree in opinion: for the operation of cutting and burning the palate with a red hot iron, does not only prevent the animal from eating his food for some weeks, but is frequently attended with the most serious consequences by opening of the *halatine arteria*, which has bled many a horse to death for want of proper assistance. On this account, therefore, I feel myself perfectly justified in recommending most heartily to every gentleman owning a horse or possessing the least attachment for their species, never to suffer that cruel and barbarous operation to be performed for the reasons before mentioned; as the spunging substance of the roof of the mouth is natural to every colt under the age of five or six years, and may always be removed as before mentioned. If, however, the parts are very red, and very swollen also, you may just scarify with the point of a sharp penknife, or prick it with a large darning needle. After this it continues to flatten, as the teeth grow, without any other inconvenience to the animal.

These are facts I can venture to assert, both from the experience, as well as practice of many thousand instances. I shall now beg leave to close this subject, by the following remarks, viz.

That the cutting and raising the frog from the ground to keep the foot in health—the cutting out the haw of the eye, to cure inflammation and lock-jaw—and the operation of burning for the Lampas, under the idea, of curing a disease that never exists, can by no means be reconciled to common sense.

Should the above informal be found worthy, please to give it an insertion in your Plough Boy.

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### By the last Mail.

#### FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

Office of the New-York Gazette

AUG. 22.—(noon)

The Editors of the New-York Gazette are indebted to Mr. T. T. T. T., proprietor of the Merchant's Hall, Boston, for the subsequent information:

The United States ship Peacock, captain Brown, and the U. States brig Spark, Captain Perry, arrived at Gibraltar the 25th of June, from Leghorn and Algiers, and after taking in provisions, sailed again on the 29th, to join Commodore Bainbridge at Messina. Capt. Brown and Perry touched at Algeciras, on the 1st Inst., and were informed by Mr. Shaler, the American Consul, that a squadron consisting of two frigates, three corvettes, and a gun brig, had sailed three weeks previous on a distant expedition—that the day after they sailed Mr. Shaler sailed on the D. Y., and requested to be advised of their object—that the Dey, however, declined giving this information, but gave him every assurance of their views being perfectly friendly to the United States—Mr. Shaler concluded, by observing, that the Algerine squadron, no doubt, was ordered to respect our flag, and that he was fully convinced they had gone to the Westward, and probably into the Western Ocean. Captain Brown requested Mr. Shaler to inform the Dey, that he could suffer no Algerine cruiser to board in American vessels, if it was in his power to prevent it. Captain Brown immediately proceeded, with the Spark in company, to Gibraltar, but obtained no further information on the subject. On the arrival of Captain Brown at Gibraltar, he met the Dutch squadron, consisting of 74, two frigates, and a sloop of war, and having communicated to the Dutch Admiral the above information, the whole of the squadron got underway, and proceeded up the Mediterranean the next day. On Capt. Brown's passage, he touched at M. laga the 23d of June, and was informed by Mr. Barber, the American Consul at that place, that a few days previous, an English brig had been plundered by a long black schooner, mounting 16 guns, at a short distance from Malaga; that after the pirates had taken every thing they wanted out of the brig, they put the crew into the boat and sunk the vessel—the boat being very leaky, sunk before they could reach the shore, and only two of the crew were saved by a vessel that accidentally fell in with them, and took them into Malaga. The report of this transaction had reached Gibraltar before Captain Brown's arrival there.

VETERINARY.

ALBANY, July 25, 1820.

Dear Sir—I was to-day applied to by a gentleman, to cut the *Lampas* out of his horse's mouth. I told him that was never considered as a disease by scientific practitioners of the veterinary art, and that being an *unsurgical* operation, I should not perform it, but that I would inform him how to remedy the evil, as he said his horse would not eat. I did so, and it is simply this—to rub the upper part of the roof of the mouth, which you find on those occasions red, and swollen, with coarse salt, three or four times a day—to throw in manger also a few ears of the *hardest corn*; and thus, a few days would totally remedy the evil.

I cannot suppose, that any person possessing the least experience, should fall into the ridiculous and absurd belief, that horses are subject to that imaginary disease called *Lampas*.—Because, examining the palate or roof of the mouth, would be quite sufficient to convince a judicious investigator, that the supposed enlargement cannot deprive the animal of its food; since it is not in the least sore or shows any signs of sensibility on pressure. And again, it is well ascertained, that the palate is not in the least concerned in the mastication of the food, the maxillary teeth and tongue being the only instruments engaged in the performance of this function.

It is true that the front teeth & tongue have to draw the hay out of the rack, and also cut the grass when grazing; but this office is so easily done, that the horse could do it without any teeth at all.

It is not a fact, known to every one, that horned cattle, such as oxen, cows, sheep, &c. draw the forage out of the rack, and cut their grass, though they have no front teeth in their upper jaws. We may therefore reasonably conclude, that this error as well as many others, in respect of horses, proceeds from the want of knowledge of the different states and progress of the parts which constitute the

#### FROM THE NATIONAL GAZETTE.

#### THE ENGLISH NEWS.

We have read London papers of the latest dates, and have little else to report from them than the progress of the "delicate investigation." It continued to monopolize attention, kindling at the same time the worst passions and opening gloomy vistas to the orderly and religious part of the British people. The London Courier of the 7th July represents the bill of Pains and Penalties as "a fearfully important," and alleges that a faction is busy in misrepresenting and disordering every thing." That paper seems to be amused with the procedure of some of the Gazettes enlisted on the side of the queen, which congratulate themselves that the adultery charged against her is with *one person only*! It is stated that the higher classes of society keep entirely aloof from her majesty; a circumstance which throws her more immediately upon the multitude, and pronounces the views of those intriguers who would make her case the occasion either of a change of ministry or of a general revolution.

The heats in the house of commons have not abated, nor is there much reserve of language even in relation to "the most gracious George IV." A member of some distinction, Mr. Crevey, did not hesitate to speak of the  *vindictive spirit* of the king, and to assert that "his majesty, to be entitled to the remedy of divorce, must come with clean hands into court." We observe that the London Courier of the 7th July refuses to report some part of this gentleman's speech, on the ground of their being too indecorous and disloyal for repetition. Another well known member, Mr. Bennett, held the following language:

The people knew that all was settled beforehand; that it was determined to convict the queen. The boldest might shudder at the consequences of a verdict so given. The situation of the queen is desolate and unprotected, and who on the other hand is opposed to her? In one word, it was the king of this country; the master, not, thank God, of our lives and properties, but exercising a direct and positive influence over that class of society who were to decide upon her fate; possessing an *unlimited influence* over the very house in which she was to be tried."

Lord Castlereagh threw himself devotedly between the monarch and his blunt assailants, with the *Me adsum qui facit*, asserting that "it was to the ministers and not to the king that the disaster of the enquiry was to be attributed," and that "nothing could be less vindictive or more accommodating, than the conduct of the illustrious personage." These are *fiti* or tactics of government, like the maxim, the king can do no wrong, which none but the most fiery and uncouth, even among the opposition, could hesitate to sanction and respect. There would seem, however, to be a *disposition* in the queen, to throw off this restraint. The following extracts from the professional remonstrance of one of them, Mr. Denman, against the course of proceedings in the house of lords, delivered July 6th, at the bar of the house, will shew that his majesty has some reason to tremble, although it may be that these dreadful intimations were made merely *in terrorem*.

The royal character of both parties to this suit must be laid aside; and, in considering in what respects the conjugal contract had been violated, and the consequences that ought to result, it would be fit that the house should strictly examine what had been the conduct of both the exalted individuals concerned. It would be its duty to examine whether the wife had no reason to complain—whether any circumstance of recrimination could be advanced—and whether the abandonment and desitution of the wife, if not cleared her of moral guilt, had not at least deprived the husband of his remedy.

He entreated that the same forms and modes pursued in the lower courts should be adopted here, by which the queen would enjoy the fullest opportunity of vindication at the earliest possible moment. She would then be placed in a situation where she might examine how far the conjugal relation had been observed on both sides—whether it had not been at least first violated by her accuser in almost every particular in which an accuser could have a right to complain of her royal husband. Whether after the proof of such allegations, the house would think fit to proceed at all, and to pass the bill upon the table, it was not for him to state; but if injustice must be done, he trusted that it would not be forgotten that the parties were thus upon equal terms—they were man and wife; and if, in the course of what he or his learned friend had said, any thing had dropped which might be thought to be a hard upon the stronger party, he trusted it would be attributed to the zeal they felt in advocating the cause of the weaker."

The mob have been exercising summary justice, by anticipation, upon the Italian witnesses who have arrived in England to bear out the accusation. It must have been no easy task for the government to keep their skulls in that state of integrity necessary to the accomplishment of their perilous errand. On the other hand, the witnesses summoned by the queen, one hundred Italians, many of whom are said to be of the first families of their country, may expect, in their visit of expurgation, all the honors & security which the knights and duceliers of St. Giles and Moordel can bestow. We apprehend that the character of the Italian nation will fare rather hard, and perhaps, appear to very little advantage, in the course of the

trial. The gallant general, sir Ronald Ferguson, who made a motion in the house of commons, calling for an enquiry into the mission sent to Milan to gather the contents of the green bag, when he stated in his speech on the subject that 37,000 had been expended by the ministry in collecting testimony against the queen, in Italy, added that, "with half that sum he would undertake to blast the character of every woman in the country." The queen preserves a firm tone and unalterable countenance; and instructed her counsel on their appearance before the house of lords, the 6th July, to call for an immediate disclosure of the secrets of the green bag, and to resist all investigation of the charges which they should involve. When she was officially waited upon with the bill of divorce, she received it, say the newspapers, "with dignified composure," and with rather a singular observation—"I am sorry that it comes so late, as twenty five years ago it might have been of *some use to his majesty*." She pointed solemnly to Heaven and expressed her reliance on the justice to be rendered there. This is the language which Shakespeare puts into the mouth of Queen Katherine, when the commissioners of Henry VIII. carry her a similar notification.

"Heaven is above all yet; there sits a judge, "That no king can corrupt." But it shows the difference of the times in England that Caroline could not, with any justice, ask like her meek predecessor,

"Can you think Lords, That any Englishman dare give me counsel? Or be a known friend 'gainst his Highness' pleasure?"

This "brave lady" of George IV. will want for neither counsel nor friends, and may prove, with her auxiliaries, too strong for her liege lord and his cardinal Wooley. Mr. Bennett said, in the House of Commons, that "the discussion of her case would give a blow to the character of the *Monarchy* which it might sue to its latest existence." We think this opinion perfectly just, and venture to surmise that it will contribute powerfully, by the odium and disgrace in which it must implicate the crown, to hasten that great national convulsion which is either to subvert the throne or settle it on a new and more natural basis.

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AUG. 18, 1820.

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Bacon,	9 a 14
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Cotton,	18 to 20
Sugary,	9 a 11
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## POETRY.

From the London Statesman.

### THE WAGER.

Three wags one day, in sportive mood,  
Wager'd each other's skill to try.  
The winner—he who ever could  
Invent and tell the greatest lie!

The first declar'd I—d C—stl—r—h,  
Utter'd the truth whene'er he spoke;  
And as for Mr. C—n—g, he  
Was ne'er at misery known to joke.

The next essay'd to win the bet,  
And bet the one that I'd before;  
For he declared the national debt  
Grew less and less instead of more!

The third that tried, the wager won,  
Beyond dispute or cavil too;  
For when the other two had done,  
He swore that all they said was true.

### EPITAPH.

Upon Frederick, Prince of Wales, son of George II. and father of the late King Geo. III., from Hogg's Jacobite Relics.  
Here lies Prince Fede, gone down among the dead;  
Had it been his father, we had much rather;  
Had it been his sister, few would have missed him;  
Had it been the whole generation, ten times better for the nation;  
But, since 't is only Fede, there's no more to be said.

### RIDDLES.

More fickle than the wind that blows,  
More fragrant than the damask rose;  
What strikes with dread the honest tar?  
What Jackson fears amidst the war?  
What's sweeter than a mutual kiss,  
Will instantly unriddle this.

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JOHN BRIDGES.

December 30.—53

**BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.**

Whereas by an act of congress passed on the 3d of March, 1817, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a Surveyor for the lands in the northern part of the Mississippi Territory, and the sale of certain lands therein described," the President of the United States is authorized to cause certain lands to be sold:

Therefore, I, James Monroe, President of the United States, do hereby declare and make known, that public sales shall be held at Huntsville, in Alabama, for the disposal (according to law) of the following lands, viz:

On the 2d Monday in October next, for the sale of townships 10 and 13, in range 2, E.; townships 9, 10, 11, and 14, in range 3, E.; townships 9, 10, and 14, in range 4, E.; townships 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14, in range 5, E.; townships 12, 13, and 14, in range 6, E.; and township 12, in range 7, E. Also, the lands in the tract commonly called Colbert's reserve.

On the 1st Monday in December next, for the sale of townships 11, 12, 13, and 14, in range 3, W.; townships 12, 13, and 14, in range 6 and 7, W.; townships 11, 12, 13, and 14, in range 8, W.; townships 12, 13, and 14, in range 9, W.; townships 12, 13, and 14, in range 10, W.; and township 14, in range 11, W.; Also, the lands adjoining the town of Marion, which have not been offered for sale, except such lands as have been reserved by law for the support of schools, or for other purposes. The lands shall be sold in regular numerical order, commencing with the lowest number of section, township, and range.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, the 22d day of June 1820.

JAMES MONROE.

JOSEPH MEIGS, Commissioner of the General Land Office.

27-1 Nov.

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WHEREAS the President of the United States is authorized by law to cause certain lands of the United States to be offered for sale:

Therefore, I, James Monroe, president of the United States, do hereby declare & make known, that public sales for the disposal, agreeably to law, of certain lands, shall be held as follows, viz:

At Delaware, in Ohio, on the first Mondays in August and October next, for the sale of the lands which have been surveyed in the district of Delaware, being 45 townships and fractional townships, viz:

August Sale.

Townships 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6, S. of range

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